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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Andrea STEINMEYER et al
SERIAL NO: 09/509,934

GAU: 1616
EXAMINER: S. Qazi

FILING DATE: May 3, 2000

FOR: New Vitamin D Derivatives With Cyclopropyl Rings In The Side Chains, Process And Intermediate Products For Their Production And Their Use For The Production Of Pharmaceutical Agents

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
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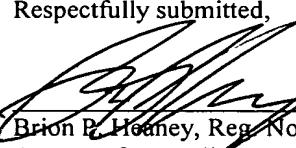
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REPLY

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of February 24, 2004, entry of the following
amendments is respectfully requested:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 20 of this paper.

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